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REQUEST FOR FILING A PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a request for filing a divisional application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b), of pending prior application:

Serial No.: 09/763,971

Filed on: September 13, 2001

Of: Yasunaga HAMADA et al.

Entitled: Electromagnetic Fuel Injector

Examiner: Eric S. Keasel

Group: 3754

     1a.. Accompanying this order is a new specification and drawings, that does not contain any subject matter that would have been new matter in the prior application.

Total pages of specification, claims and abstract:     

Total pages of drawings:     

  X   1b. Accompanying this order is a true copy of the prior application as originally filed.

Total pages of specification, claims and abstract: 38

Total pages of drawings: 10

     2. New Formal drawings are being filed herewith consisting of      sheet(s), depicting Figures     .

  X   3. Declaration and Power of Attorney:

a.      Newly executed (original or copy)

b.   X   Copy from prior application

i.      Deletion of Inventors - signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application

X 4. Incorporation by Reference:

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

X 5. Cancel original claims 1-8.

   6. Small entity status:

a.    A small entity statement is enclosed

b.    A statement of small entity status (copy attached) was filed on    in the prior application and status as a small entity is still proper and desired.

c.    Is no longer claimed

X 7. The filing fee is calculated below:

**CLAIMS AS FILED, INCLUDING ANY CLAIMS  
CANCELLED OR ADDED BY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Basic Fee					<u>\$385</u>	<u>\$770</u>
Total Claims	<u>7</u>	-	20 = <u>0</u>	x	9 = \$	18 = \$
Ind. Claims	<u>3</u>	-	3 = <u>0</u>	x	43 = \$	86 = \$
<u>          </u> Multiple Dependent Claims				+	145 = \$	290 = \$
				Total	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$770.00</u>

   8. Please charge my Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #   ) in the amount of \$   .

X 9. A check in the amount of \$770.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

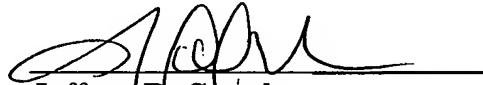
X 10. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #056208.49740D1).

- X 11. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This application is a division of application Serial No. 09/763,971, filed September 13, 2001.--
- X 12. Priority of Application. No. PCT/JP00/01393, filed as PCT application on March 8, 2000 is claimed.
- X 13. The prior application is assigned of record to Hitachi, Ltd. and Hitachi Car Engineering Co., Ltd.
- X 14. The power of attorney in the prior application is to:  
Herbert I. Cantor, Reg. No. 24,392; James F. McKeown, Reg. No. 25,406; Donald D. Evenson, Reg. No. 26,160; Joseph D. Evans, Reg. No. 26,269; Gary R. Edwards, Reg. No. 31,824; and Jeffrey D. Sanok, Reg. No. 32,169.
- X a. The power appears in the original application papers in the prior application.
- b. Since the power does not appear in the original application papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- c. Attached is a duplicate of a Supplemental Declaration which was filed in the prior application to overcome informalities.
- X d. Address all future correspondence to:
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**23911**
- X 15. Forms PTO-892 and PTO-1449 listing prior art made of record in the prior application are attached. A copy of each of the listed references should be available in the prior application file.
- 16. A Preliminary Amendment is being filed herewith.
- X 17. Return Receipt Postcard.

- X 18. Change of Correspondence Address and Appointment of Associate Attorneys.

Respectfully submitted,

December 5, 2003

  
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